

HOUSE BILL 56

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CF SB 103

By: **Delegates Eckardt, Cane, and Haddaway-Riccio**

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Dorchester County – Alcoholic Beverages – Hours for Sale**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the hours for sale on a certain day for holders of a certain
4 alcoholic beverages license in Dorchester County; and generally relating to the
5 hours for sale for alcoholic beverages in Dorchester County.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
7 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages
8 Section 11–510(a)
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (2011 Replacement Volume)

11 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
12 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages
13 Section 11–510(b)(6)
14 Annotated Code of Maryland
15 (2011 Replacement Volume)

16 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
17 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

18 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

19 11–510.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 (a) This section applies only in Dorchester County.

2 (b) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this subtitle, the hours for sale
3 for alcoholic beverages are as follows:

4 (6) For the holders of a Class B (on-sale) beer, wine and liquor license
5 sales are permitted:

6 (i) Monday through Saturday from 7 a.m. through 1:45 a.m. the
7 following day; and

8 (ii) Sunday from [12 noon] **10 A.M.** through 12 midnight, except
9 if Christmas Eve or New Year's Eve is on a Sunday, from [12 noon] **10 A.M.** to 2 a.m.
10 the following day.

11 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
12 July 1, 2012.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.